

## **EPA Brownfields Program**

EPA's Brownfields Program empowers states, communities, and other stakeholders to work together to prevent, assess, safely clean up, and sustainably reuse brownfields. A brownfield site is real property, the expansion, redevelopment, or reuse of which may be complicated by the presence or potential presence of a hazardous substance, pollutant, or contaminant. In 2002, the Small Business Liability Relief and Brownfields Revitalization Act was passed to help states and communities around the country cleanup and revitalize brownfields sites. Under this law, EPA provides financial assistance to eligible applicants through four competitive grant programs: assessment grants, revolving loan fund grants, cleanup grants, and job training grants. Additionally, funding support is provided to state and tribal response programs through a separate mechanism.

## **Cleanup Grants**

\$400,000 for hazardous substances

EPA has selected the City of DeLand for two brownfields cleanup grants. Hazardous substances grant funds will be used to clean up the 20-acre former Needle Park parcel at 1777 Langley Avenue and the 70-acre Navy Dump parcel at 163 Old Daytona Road. Both parcels were part of the former Naval Training Center operation during World War II and are contaminated with metals from non-regulated dumping activities. Grant funds for both sites also will be used to conduct community involvement and outreach activities, including publishing materials in Spanish.

## **Contacts**

For further information, including specific grant contacts, additional grant information, brownfields news and events, and publications and links, visit the EPA Brownfields Web site (http://www.epa.gov/brownfields).

EPA Region 4 Brownfields Team (215) 814-3173 EPA Region 4 Brownfields Web site (https://www.epa.gov/brownfields/brownfields-and-land-revitalization-alabama-flor ida-georgia-kentucky-mississippi-north-0)

Grant Recipient: City of DeLand, FL (386) 626-7013

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